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Applicants submit this request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 for the above-identified application.

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- The arguments in the Appeal Brief and/or Reply Brief previously filed on
- [] The enclosed amendment/reply submitted in response to the Official Action

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- [] Information Disclosure Statement Transmittal, Information Disclosure Statement, and PTO/SB/08A with copies of (82) cited references provided on the attached CD, and a paper copy of each of (2) cited pending applications.
- [] Petition for Extension of Time
- [] Other:

[] Also enclosed is:

- [x] Return receipt postcard
- [x] A check in the amount of \$880.00 for the total filing fee as calculated below.
- An Assertion of Entitlement to Small Entity Status was submitted previously.
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